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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6487**  
Motoharu SEIKI et al. : **Docket No. 2000-1617**  
Serial No. 09/734,002 : **Group Art Unit 1642**  
Filed December 12, 2000 : **Examiner B. Brumback**

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NOVEL PROTEIN AND MONOCLONAL  
ANTIBODY SPECIFIC THERETO

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of April  
29, 2002.

The fee of \$110.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.  
( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.

( ) Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37  
CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which  
( ) is enclosed.  
( ) has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,


Motoharu SEIKI et al.

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